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Metro Road Work...

Bridge Joint Repairs and Sign Structure Work Continue This Weekend

ATLANTA – Georgia Department of Transportation will continue bridge joint repairs and sign structure work in Metropolitan Atlanta this weekend, weather permitting. Motorists again are asked to avoid non-essential travel on Interstate 20 and Interstate 285. Projects there will require lane closures, which, in turn, are likely to result in delays.

The traveling public is encouraged to call 511 or consult <u>511ga.org</u> before departing for real-time information on work status and traffic conditions.

Planned work this weekend is as follows:

- On I-20, three eastbound lanes will close between Langhorn Street and McDaniel Street for bridge joint repairs, continuously from 9 p.m., Friday, until 5 a.m., Monday;
- The same work will require two westbound lane closures on I-20 from the I-75/I-85 interchange to Langhorn Street, continuously from 9 p.m., Friday, until 5 a.m., Monday;
- Additionally, two westbound lanes will close on I-20 between Fulton Industrial Boulevard and the I-285 interchange, continuously from 9 p.m., Friday, until 5 a.m., Monday;
- In Newton County, on I-20 westbound, bridge joint repairs will also require the on and off ramps at exit 90 (SR 12/US 278) to close continuously from 9 p.m., Friday, until 5 a.m., Monday;
- Lastly, two lanes will close on I-20 eastbound between Almon Road and the SR 12/US 278 exit, to allow contractors to paint the Old Oxford Road Bridge, from 7 a.m., until 2 p.m., Saturday;
- Bridge work on Spaghetti Junction will require one lane to close on the ramp from I-85 northbound to I-285 westbound and two lanes to close on the ramp

from I-285 eastbound to I-85, continuously from 9 p.m., Friday, until 5 a.m., Monday;

- On the southwest side of I-285, sign structure work will require two northbound lane closures from SR 6/ Camp Creek Parkway to SR 154/SR 166/ Campbellton Road/ Langford Parkway, continuously from 9 p.m., Friday, until 5 a.m., Monday;
- On I-285, sign structure work will also require two lanes to close on the inner and outer loops from the I-85 interchange to Northlake Parkway, continuously from 7:30 p.m., Friday, until 7:30 a.m., Sunday;
- Two northbound lanes on I-285 will close between the I-20 interchange and Bolton Road and two southbound lanes between the I-20 interchange and SR 139/ Martin Luther King Jr. Drive continuously from 9 p.m., Friday, until 5 a.m., Monday, for concrete rehabilitation;
- On Georgia (State Route) 400, one southbound lane will close from the Toll Plaza to the I-85 interchange continuously from 6 a.m., Saturday until 5 a.m., Monday for a pacing operation and sign structure work;
- Additionally, on Georgia (State Route) 400 one northbound lane will close between Lenox Road and the I-285 interchange continuously from 7 a.m., Saturday until 7 p.m., Sunday;
- Paving and concrete pours will require lane closures on SR 372/ Birmingham Highway at New Providence Road / Providence Road from 7 a.m., until 7 p.m., Saturday;
- On SR 140/Holcomb Bridge Road at Old Alabama Road one lane will close daily from 9 p.m., Friday, until 5 a.m., Monday;
- Pipeline construction will require one lane closure at SR 237/Piedmont Road and Habersham Road from 8 a.m., until 5 p.m., Saturday; and finally
- On SR 154/ Memorial Drive, one lane will close between the Moreland Avenue and Wilkinson Drive and one lane will close on SR 154/ Memorial Drive between East Lake Drive and Candler Road both closures are from 9 a.m., until 3 p.m., Saturday.
- Sidewalk repairs between Ponce de Leon Avenue and Paden Circle will close one lane on Saturday from 8 a.m. until early afternoon.

Other Georgia DOT work and routine maintenance will necessitate various lane closures this weekend (as detailed in the attached spreadsheets); the Department also cautions that incident and emergency repair

related closures may be necessary on any route at any time. As always, drive cautiously, courteously, undistracted and unimpaired.

Additional information is available via the following:

Complete list of metro Atlanta lane closures

Complete list of lane closures outside metro Atlanta

Metro Atlanta weekend special events list

The Georgia Department of Transportation continues its RoadWorks 2015 construction program. Dozens of important roadway improvement projects are ongoing throughout the state as we work to deliver projects on time and on budget while keeping our transportation network the nation's finest. Pardon the necessary inconvenience and please drive cautiously and safely at all times, especially in work zones. For more information on Georgia DOT, please visit www.dot.qa.gov or subscribe to our Press Release RSS feed. You also may follow us on Facebook (www.facebook.com/GeorgiaDOT) and Twitter (http://twitter.com/qadeptoftrans).

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